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DELAYED DISPATCHES

RUSSIA.

WARSAW, July 20.—The circumstances which led to the discovery of a plot to blow up the palace of the Czar during his stay here have just been made public. It appears that nihilists had ordered a student to poison a high police official, who was the father of the student's fiance. The student refused and poisoned himself. Two letters which he left to his betrothed led to the discovery of the conspiracy.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 21.—The police of Warsaw seized 500,000 roubles and numerous proclamations printed in the Russian and Polish languages, intended for circulation throughout the Empire in the event of the designs against the Czar on his recent visit to Warsaw having been successful. Five tourists were arrested in Moscow, in whose possession were found large sums of money, dynamite bombs and documents. The latter showed that since the coronation of the Czar Moscow has been the seat of the executive committee of the Nihilists. A state of siege has been proclaimed at Warsaw. The governor general and chief of police will be removed. The newspapers say that Russia and Germany propose the adoption of an international convention to provide measures for the suppression of the dynamiters.

AFRICA.

LONDON, July 20.—It is reported from Algiers that a French comedy troupe, travelling through Algiers, were massacred by Arabs, near the Morocco frontier.

AUSTRIA.

LONDON, July 20.—The anarchist, Kammar, in prison at Vienna, has confessed to the murders of banker Lienhart, sentinel Adels at Strasburg, and of banker Eisert at Stuttgart. He declares that Stellmacher and other anarchists assisted him.

CHINA.

CHINA, July 20.—A dispatch to Reuter's Telegram company says the situation at Shanghai is improved, and there will be no fighting.

SWITZERLAND.

BERLIN, July 21.—Four boats were capsized in a storm on Lake Luzerne and 60 people were drowned. Some were foreigners.

FRANCE.

MARSEILLES, July 21—A crowd of Socialists assembled before the mayor's office yesterday, demanded work and endeavored to force an entrance into the building, but were prevented by the police. Seven arrests were made.

ENGLAND.

LONDON, July 21.—Dr. Cæsar Henry Hawkins, surgeon to the Queen, is dead.

MONTANA.

SALT LAKE, July 19.—News comes from Judith City, northern Montana, that five horse thieves were captured and hanged in the vicinity of Rocky Point a few days ago. The deed was done by a regularly organized band of cowboys, who set out to round up the thieves that infest that section, and are doing their work in good shape. They secured thirty-two stolen horses.

CANADA.

QUEBEC, July 22.—John C. Eno has rented a splendidly furnished residence on St. Johns street, and has been joined by his wife and three daughters from New York.

PIANOS.

We have the largest and best assortment of Pianos in the province, imported DIRECT from the Manufacturers, and can suit all tastes, styles and prices, ranging from $150 to $800.

ORGANS.

Our stock is very large and complete, manufactured by the Best Makers in the world. We import them in large quantities, thus, saving extra expense, are able to sell them at LOW PRICES. We can furnish Organs from $45 to $400. An examination is respectfully solicited. M. W. WAITT & CO.

FOR A SUDDEN COLD—Take one tea spoonfull of Perry Davis' Pain-killer in a cup of hot water, well sweetened with loaf sugar. It is better to take this dose just before going to bed. 4

Australasia.

Labor depression of a serious character prevails throughout Australia.

Sutton's tobacco factory at Sydney has been burned, together with a large stock. Damages, £10,000.

South Australia has passed through a ministerial crisis, a new government having been formed.

The Melbourne Argus has been reduced in price to 2d (four cents).

The Tasmanian government has declined entering into a direct mail service with England pending parliamentary action.

It is expected that Col. Scratchley will be appointed high commissioner of the Pacific, if the colonies will agree to contribute £15,000 annually.

Reports from London of shipments of frozen meat have been favorable of late. The cargo of the Cuzco, from Melbourne, arrived in splendid condition, and sold at 5d (ten cents) per pound.

A number of forfeited stock ranges were recently sold in Queensland, the highest price being £5 ($25) a square mile.

A Maori self-protection society has been formed under Mohi Tawhai, with Sydney Taiwhanga, president. The society's object is to prevent Maoris of New Zealand being done out of their lands.

Quong Tart, a Chinese merchant of Sydney, has started an anti-opium movement, and is holding public meetings throughout Victoria to influence legislation against the importation of the drug.

The appointment of M. Le Bouchere as civilian governor of New Caledonia, has led to several changes in the control of the naval station at that island. The naval division is to be abolished, and the governor in future is not to have control of the fleet.

The Melbourne government will not appoint a delegate to Washington to the conference regarding a universal prime meridian, it deeming the British representative sufficient.

General McIvor, who some time back endeavored to organize in England an expedition to New Guinea, and who is now in Melbourne, has offered to carry out the project on behalf of the Australian governments. He has had an interview with Mr. Service, but the premier declines the general's proposals.

A man was attacked and devoured by wild wolves at South Wairoa, New Zealand.

The New Zealand parliament was opened on June 5th. The governor's speech indicated the existence of a deficit in the revenue.

Reports from the various mining districts recently have shown a very healthy state of affairs, and there appears to be every prospect of a continuance, for some little time, at least, of such an encouraging condition of the mining market. The most important news has been from the silver mines at Silverton.

The men charged with manslaughter in connection with a prize fight at Randwick were tried and sentenced as follows: Jas. Lawson, twelve months' imprisonment with hard labor; William Johnstone, two years' imprisonment with hard labor; Charles Davis, fifteen months' imprisonment with hard labor, and Joseph Davis, twenty-one months' imprisonment with hard labor.

The balance-sheet in connection with the Australian testimonial to Mr. Parnell has been published. Altogether, the sum of £2,061 has been subscribed, and the expenses amounted to £93 13s, leaving a net balance of £1,967. The Victorian central committee of the national league have brought this up to £2,000, which sum will be transmitted to Mr. Parnell. The contributions to the fund from the various colonies are as follows: New South Wales, £645; Victoria, £867; New Zealand, £207; Queensland, £125; South Australia, £70; Tasmania, £44.

Incendiary fires have been prevalent of late in Adelaide.

The committee of the Northern Territory Association has received from the residents of the northern territory gold fields a memorial asking that strong restrictions should be enforced to prevent the Chinese from working upon any gold fields which had been discovered by Europeans within two or three years of the date of being found.

PERRY DAVIS' PAIN-KILLER

TAKEN INTERNALLY it cures Dysentry, Cholera, Diarrohœa, Cramp and Pain in the Stomach, Bowel Complaint, Painters' Colic, Liver Complaint, Dyspepsia or Indigestion, Sudden Colds, Sore Throat, Coughs, &c.

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NOTICE TO SHIPPERS.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE FREIGHT FOR the Upper Country will be carried

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ROBERT WARD & CO., Agents, Wharf st., Victoria.
June 17th, 1884 je18 1m

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TENDERS.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

WHOLE AND SEPARATE TENDERS WILL be received up to 12 M. Saturday July 26th for the erection and completion of the Agricultural Hall, including pens, stalls, fencing, etc., etc.

We reserve the right to reject any and all tenders.

S. C. BURRIS, Architect.
Moody Building, corner Yates and Broad, up stairs. jy20

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE UNdersigned up to noon, July 26th, for the erection and completion of a two-story Brick Building, facing Yates street, between Government and Broad streets (south side).

The Lowest or any Tender will not necessarily be accepted. JNO. TEAGUE,
jy15 Architect, Government st.

NOTICE

TO ROAD CONTRACTORS.

SEALED TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works up to Noon of FRIDAY, the 25th inst., for clearing out and repairing section Two of the Goldstream and Cowichan Waggon Road (between Thaine and Sooke Lakes.)

Plans and specifications can be seen and forms for tender obtained at the office of the undersigned or from Henry Fry, Esq., Government Agent, Quamichan.

W. S. GORE, Surveyor General.
Lands and Works Dept., Victoria, B. C., 10th July, 1884. jy11

BISCUIT AND SOFT BREAD, FIREWOOD AND LUMBER.

ROYAL NAVAL YARD, ESQUIMALT, 1st July, 1884.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED ON BEHALF OF the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty until NOON of FRIDAY, the 1st AUGUST next, for supplying such quantities of the above mentioned articles as may be required for Navy purposes between the 1st October, 1884, and 30th September, 1885.

Their Lordships do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender, and they reserve to themselves the power of accepting any part of a tender.

Forms of Tender containing all particulars may be obtained at this office on written or personal application.

J. H. INNES,
jy1 Naval Storekeeper, &c.

PROVINCIAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.

TENDERS, ENDORSED "LUNATIC ASYLUM Supplies," for the undermentioned articles, required for the use of the Provincial Lunatic Asylum, New Westminster, for one year, from the 1st August next, will be received by this Department, at Victoria, until Noon of Thursday, the 24th instant.

Firkin Butter, ℔ lb.
Fresh Butter, "
S. I. Sugar, No. 1 "
do No. 2 "
S. F. Sugar (crushed), "
Rice, No. 1 "
Currants, "
Flour (extra), ℔ 100lbs.
Syrup, California Golden, ℔ gallon
Tea, English Congou, ℔ lb.
Tea, Japanese, per lb.
Yeast Powder (Preston & Merrill's) ℔ doz.
Washing Soda, ℔ 100lbs.
Castile Soap, ℔ lb.
Laundry Soap, (Colonial) ℔ 50lbs.
Saanich Oatmeal, ℔ lb.
Pearl Barley, "
Split Peas, "
Peas (whole), "
Beans, large white, "
Coffee, best ground "
do whole roasted "
Apples, dried, "
Peaches, "
Hams, "
Eggs (fresh) per doz.
Mustard, per lb.
Pepper (ground) per lb.
Vinegar, pure malt, per gallon
Candles, Price's sperm, per lb.
Lard, "
Tobacco, English, "
do Pace's "
Matches, B. & M.'s, per doz.
Cheese, per lb.
Bread, "
Beef, Mutton and Pork, per lb.
Beef and Mutton for soup, per lb.
Salmon, fresh, per lb
Salmon Bellies, per bbl.
Milk, per gallon
Brogans, per doz.
Miller's Mole Pants, per pair
Gray Canton Flannel, per yard
Welsh do "
White Twill do "
Grey Twill do "
Grey Canton Flannel Shirts, per dozen.
Welsh do "
White Twill do Drawers, Men's "
Grey Twill do do "
Heavy Duck Shirts "
Slippers, Cloth or Carpet "
Gloves, Heavy Cloth, men's, per doz pair
Heavy Woolen Socks, do
Heavy Cotton Socks do
Wide Grey Sheeting, per yard
Heavy Duck "
Coats, Scotch Tweed, each
Coats, Oregon Cloth, each
Blankets, green, blue and white, 3½ point, per pr
Red Cotton Pocket Handkerchiefs, per doz.
Corn Brooms, ℔ g'st.
Salt, fine L., per 100 lbs.
Coal Oil, per gallon, Downer's or Star Brand
Nanaimo Coal, Wellington or Vancouver Coal Co
Best Dry Pine, per cord [per ton
Potatoes, per 100 lbs.
Onions, "
Cabbage, "
Turnips, White and Swedish, per 100 lbs.
Carrots, per 100 lbs.
Parsnips "

Samples of the principal articles required can be seen at the Provincial Secretary's Office, Victoria and the Lunatic Asylum, New Westminster.

All articles to be delivered at the Asylum, New Westminster, without extra charge.

Security for the due performance of the contract will be required in each case.

JNO. ROBSON, Provincial Secretary.
Provincial Secretary's Office, 10th July, 1884. jy11 2w

NOTICE TO HORSE BREEDERS

THE THOROUGHBRED STALLION

PLOUGHBOY,

Property of Mr. John Gilmore, Nicola Valley; a dark bay, six years old, stands 17 hands high, proportionately built, and a horse of splendid temper, action and powerful muscle is offered FOR SALE.

"PLOUGHBOY" was got by "Wellington" out of the celebrated brood mare "Nellie." The progeny of "Ploughboy" are to be seen at Nicola Valley, and will bear favorable comparison with the get of any other sire.

"Ploughboy" is offered for sale because he has been three years with the band and a change is therefore desirable. "Ploughboy" took the first prizes at the Nicola Agricultural Exhibitions in 1881 and 1882.

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☞ Samples on application.

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HUTCHESON, YOUNG & CO.

Victoria, 1st June, 1884. je1

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jy9dw1m North Saanich.

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jy18 *The Colonist* Building, Government St.

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je24 1m "X," *The Colonist* Office.

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VICTORIA, B. C., June 23, 1884. 1wje23

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jy17 1m

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NOTICES.

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INTEND TO APply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 600 acres of land situate on Valdez Island, North-West Coast District of British Columbia, and described as follows:—Commencing at the south-west corner of small bay on west side of Valdez Island; thence north, 20 chains; east, 20 chains; north, 20 chains; east, 40 chains; north, 40 chains; east, 60 chains; south, 100 chains; thence along the shore line to the point of commencement.

JAMES FELL.
Victoria, B.C., 2nd July, 1884. jy4

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INTEND TO APply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase five hundred acres of land, more or less, situate on Thurlow Island, North-West Coast District, and described as follows: Commencing at stake marked A at southern portion of the Island; from thence north, 80 chains; west, 40 chains; south, 10 chains; west, 20 chains; south, 20 chains; west, 10 chains; south, 20 chains; east, 20 chains; thence south, to shore line, and from thence along high-water mark to stake at point of commencement.

JAMES McNERHANIE.
Victoria, B.C., 2nd July, 1884. jy4

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE ESTATE of the late THOMAS PRICE are requested to forthwith pay the same; and any person having any claim against the said estate to send particulars thereof to

HUGH PRICE or RICHARD ROBERTS } Executors
Victoria, B C., 2nd July, 1884. jy3

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I HAVE APPLIED to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license to cut timber on one thousand acres of land on Homathco River—about 360 acres on the north and 640 acres on the south banks of said river.

WM. P. SAYWARD.
June 12th, 1884. je13 1m

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I HAVE made application to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase five hundred acres of land, more or less, situate in Desolation Sound, and described as follows:—

Commencing at N. W. corner stake marked A; thence east 40 chains; south 20 chains; west 30 chains; south 80 chains; east 20 chains; south 40 chains; east 40 chains; south 20 chains, westerly along lake to west end; thence westerly to south end of lake No. 2 via east boundary of said lake to southwest corner of lake No 1; thence easterly and northerly along boundary of said lake to point of commencement.

ROBERT PATTERSON.
Victoria, 20th May, 1884. my21

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE have made application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a timber lease on Masset Inlet, Graham Island, Q. C. Group, to cover 12,000 acres.

4,000 Acres on Soo-U-Uns Lake,
3,000 " Masset Inlet, West Shore } Masset
3,000 " Tzoo-Calhy Inlet, } Inlet.
2,000 " Tin-in-Oowee Inlet,

J. H. TURNER,
A. A. GREEN,
CHAS. W. D. CLIFFORD
Victoria, May 16th, 1884. my17 1m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

THAT I HAVE MADE APPLICATION TO THE Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase, under section 30 of the Land Act, 1884, 640 acres of land, situated near the head of Theodosia Arm, Malaspina Inlet, and described as follows:—

Commencing at a stake and notice about one half mile above tide water mark, being the northerly stake; thence east 80 chains to stake; thence south 80 chains to stake; thence west 80 chains to stake; thence north 89 chains to place of commencement.

WILLIAM DOWNIE.
Victoria, May 15th, 1884. my18 1m

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE

THAT I HAVE MADE AN APPLICATION TO the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase Haddington Island, off McNeale's Harbor, containing about 100 acres.

ALFRED J. HALL.
June 2nd, 1884. je3 2m

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED NOTIFIES MINISTERS and others that he is opposed to his daughter, Catherine Richardson, getting married until she attains the age of twenty-one years, and requests them not to marry her to any person without his consent. The said Catherine Richardson is only sixteen years of age and left her home on Saturday last without my consent. A. J. RICHARDSON.
Nanaimo, May 27th, 1884. my30

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I HAVE made application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase twenty-five hundred and sixty acres of land in the Osoyoos Division of Yale District.

Commencing at the S. E. corner post of Section 12, Township VIII; thence four miles north to the N. E. corner of Section 25, T. VIII; thence half mile east; thence four miles south; thence half-mile west to point of commencement, and Sections thirty and thirty-one, Township VI.

FRANK S BARNARD.
Okanagon, 14th May, 1884. my27 2mw

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE ESTATE of the late Eden White, or who have any of his effects, are notified to forthwith make payment or delivery, as the case may be, to Messrs. Davie & Wilson, corner of Fort and Langley streets; and persons having claims against the estate are likewise to send in particulars of the same.

Victoria, June 19th, 1884.
je20 2m THEODORE DAVIE, Executor

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE INTEND to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to lease two hundred and forty (240) acres of timber lands, situated in New Westminster District, near Malaspina Strait, about two miles east of Grief Point, described as follows:—

Commencing at the north west corner of our timber lease No. 13, thence true east 40 chains, thence true north 60 chains, thence true west 40 chains, thence true south 60 chains to the place of beginning.

—ALSO—

To lease 407 acres of timber land situated in New Westminster District, near Malaspina Strait, commencing at the north east corner post of our timber lot No. 450, Group 1, thence true east 40 chains, thence true south 25 chains thence east 40 chains, thence north 45 chains, thence west 35½ chains, thence north 20 chains, thence west 73½ chains, to the north boundary of Lot 450, Group 1, thence southeasterly 49½ chains along the north boundary of Lot 450 to the place of beginning.

R. P. RITHET,
je24 Secy. Moodyville Saw Mill Co., Ld.

WE HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT WE INtend applying to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to establish a Public Highway on a line described as follows:—

Commencing at a point on the Gordon Head Road, nearly opposite Mr. Standish's house; thence following the centre line of the south-easterly sleigh-road, running in a north-westerly direction to an intersection with the line between Sections 84 and 85, Victoria District; thence in a direct line, through Section 84, to Pollock and Spence's Road; and having a width of 20 feet on each side of said line.

JAMES MILLAR,
MICHAEL MORRISSEY.
Victoria, B.C., 2nd June 1884

NOTICE.

I SHALL DECLINE TO PAY ANY DEBTS CONtracted by my wife Emma Temple, formerly known as Mrs. Emma Bushell, or by any other person without my written order.

19th June, 1884.
je20 JOHN TEMPLE.

ARTILLERY BUSBIES

ARTILLERY BUSBIES IN GOOD CONDITION will be purchased on application to CAPT. SHEARS,
je29 Paymaster B.C.Regt.G.A.

RAILWAYS.

OFFICE OF THE CONTRACTORS

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY

YALE, March 1st, 1883.

NEW SCHEDULE OF WAGES FOR WHITE LABOR

—ON THE

Canadian Pacific Railway

IN BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Overseers	$125 ℔ month
Rock Foreman	$3 to $4 ℔ day
Earth Foremen	$2 50 to $3 "
Bridge Foremen	$3 50 to $4 "
Bridge Carpenters (1st class)	$3 50 "
do do (2d class)	$3 "
Masons	$2 50 to $3 50 "
Stonecutters	$3 to $3 50
Blacksmiths (1st class)	$3 50 "
do (2d class)	$3 "
Drillers	$2 to $2 25 "
Laborers	$1 75 to $2 "
Hewers	$3 50 "
Choppers	$2 to $2 50 "

All outside labor 10 hours per day.

All carpenters to furnish their own chest tools.

All employés find themselves bed, board and lodging.

Boarding Houses will be convenient along the line.

Board $5 per week.

It will not be compulsory for employés to board in the Company's houses.

Wages will be paid monthly on the 10th of each month.

A. ONDERDONK,
mh7 General Manager.

OREGON RAILWAY AND NAVIGATION COMPANY.

TIME TABLE.

ATLANTIC EXPRESS.

Leaves Victoria at	5.00 a.m.
Arrives at New Tacoma at	6.00 p.m
Arrives at Portland at	8.45 a.m.
Leaves Portland at	11.40 a.m.
Arrives at Walla Walla at	2.03 a.m.
Arrives at Helena, Mon., at	6.50 a.m.
Arrives at St. Paul, Minn., at	12 25 p.m.

ATLANTIC EMIGRANT TRAIN.

Leaves Portland at	8.25 a.m.

(Emigrants are carried on Express Trains between Helena and St. Paul.)

PACIFIC EXPRESS.

Leaves St. Paul at	4.05 p.m.
Leaves Helena at	8.30 p.m.
Leaves Walla Walla at	9.56 p.m.
Arrives at Portland at	11.40 a.m.
Arrives at New Tacoma at	10.45 p.m.
Arrives at Victoria at	3.00 p.m.

PACIFIC EMIGRANT TRAIN.

(Emigrants are carried on Express Trains between St. Paul and Helena.)

Arrives at Portland at	4.15 p.m.

NOTE—Steamers leave Victoria daily, except Sunday, connecting at Portland with express and emigrant trains.

Emigrant passengers must present their tickets at Company's ticket office, foot of Ash street, Portland, Ogn., when they will secure ferry tickets on O. & C. R.R. transfer boat to East Portland. First and second class passengers will leave on regular transfer boat which leaves Ash street wharf at 11:40 a.m. daily. The tickets they hold will secure their transfer.

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C. H. PRESCOTT, Manager.
A. L. STOKES, Gen. Frght. and Pass. Agt.

General Offices, corner Front and D. streets, Portland, Oregon. ja10ly

LAND REGISTRY ORDINANCE, 1870.

SUBDIVISION LOTS NOS. 1, 2, 5, 6, 14, 13, 12, 11, 10, 9, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 39, 40, 37, 38, 41, AND 7, OF SECTION XXV., VICTORIA DISTRICT.

A CERTIFICATE OF INDEFEASIBLE TITLE to the above mentioned Subdivision Lots will be issued to PIERRE TISSET, on the 1st day of August 1884, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to the undersigned, in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest in said Subdivision Lots or some part thereof.

CHAS. JAS. LEGGATT, Acting Registrar General
Land Registry Office, 1st May, 1884. my2

NOTICE.

LAND RESERVATION, NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT all the vacant Crown Land situated within the boundaries of those Sections in Township No. 4, New Westminster District, which are enumerated below is hereby reserved from sale, pre-emption or settlement, until further notice, for the purpose of Dyking and Reclamation, viz:—

N. E. ¼ Section 4, Sections 7, 8, 9, 10, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22 and 27.

WM. SMITHE, C.C. of L. & W.
Lands and Works, Dept., Victoria, B.C., 2nd June, 1884. je3 1m
(Columbian copy.)

HIDES AND CALFSKINS.

Highest Market Rates Paid for the Above.

CONSIGNMENTS SOLICITED. PROMPT RETURNS RENDERED.

W. HEATHORN,

VICTORIA BOOT & SHOE MANUFACTORY AND ROCK BAY TANNERY. e24

LAND REGISTRY ORDINANCE, 1870.

Victoria Town Lots Nos. 1006 and 1055.

WHEREAS THE CERTIFICATES OF TITLE of Charles C. Butler to the above mentioned Lots, bearing date respectively the Twenty-fourth day of September, 1861, and the Twenty-third day of September, 1861, have been destroyed, and application has been made for duplicates of such certificates. Notice is therefore hereby given that such duplicates will be issued unless cause be shown to the contrary, in writing, within one month from the date hereof.

CHAS. JAS. LEGGATT, Acting Registrar-General.
Land Registry Office, 5th June, 1884. je6 1m

"THE TACOMA."

GOOD MUSIC, FISHING, RIDES HUNTING, DRIVES.

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A NEW AND ELEGANT SUMMER RESORT (open all the year) at the terminus of the Northern Pacific Railroad on Puget Sound. Substantially built of brick and stone, furnished luxuriously, equipped with a Hydraulic Elevator, Electric Bells, Gas and Baths, situated on a plateau 100 feet above the Sound, commanding an unsurpassed view of Mt. Tacoma, the Cascade Mountains and the Sound. It has no equal on the Coast.

For particulars and terms, address W. D. TYLER, Mana
New Tacoma, W. T.

Daily Colonist.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, JULY 23RD, 1884.

L. P. FISHER, Advertising Agent, 21 Merchants Exchange, San Francisco, is authorized to receive advertisements for the columns of this paper.

$20 REWARD

WILL BE PAID FOR THE ARREST AND conviction of any person who may steal *The Colonist* from the door of a subscriber.

A NATION'S MORALS.

A few weeks ago a new divorce bill passed the French senate, which is calculated to lower still further the moral tone of that Jezebel among cities. The bars of matrimony are let down so low that it will take very little to get over them. The marriage ceremony, civil or religious, seems almost superfluous under the new law, as the marriage contract becomes, in effect, merely an agreement between two persons to live together as long as they like, or until either one of them wishes to dissolve the contract. Among the grounds for which either husband or wife can obtain a divorce are adultery, cruelty, serious insults; a sentence of imprisonment except for certain offences, absence and mutual consent. The divorced parties may marry again and may marry the co-respondents in their divorce suits of they choose. A French Canadian paper says: "To say nothing of France's recent reverses in war and diplomacy, there is one unmistakable sign of national decay and one which is directly attributable to the influence of the great goddess of the Parisians and that is the significantly low birth rate of France. From 1876 to 1881 the increase in the population only averaged 42 per cent. per annum and this in a time of peace. In 1827 the annual birth-rate of France was 3.11 per hundred of the population. In 1881 it was 2.79, the lowest in Europe. From 1871 to 1880 the population of Prussia increased at the rate of 1.13 per cent. per annum. In 1881 there were 937,057 births in France and the population was 37,672,048. In Prussia during the same year there were 1,054,639 births among a population of about twenty-seven or twenty-eight millions. How are we to account for the remarkable difference in the birth rates of the French people and of the French Canadians—the former the lowest in Europe, the latter higher than in Europe—except by the fact that the French Canadians have not cried great is Aselgeia of the Parisians and yielded themselves to her influence! What is to be the end of this condition of affairs in France! If it continues the country must rapidly decline in power. All history shows that public and private morality are the basis of a country's strength. The great empires of Persia, Greece and Rome declined and fell when vice crept in and corrupted the once hardy and virtuous nations. And on the other hand the fundamental virtue and honest of the English as a people are the chief cause of the position England holds today, in the front rank of nations and the moral head and center of the world.

THE AUSTRALIAN DROUGHT.

Australia is suffering from one of her periodical droughts. For more than a year not a drop of rain has fallen in New South Wales and the loss to cattle and crops has been incalculable. A letter from New South Wales to a Scotch paper describes the condition of affairs. It says that for some two hundred miles on each side of the railway the country which was previously a good agricultural region has been turned into a desert destitute of any green herbage or of water worthy of the name. The sheep or cattle in the paddocks are dead or dying. The sun's scorching rays fall on fields as hard as iron. The leaves of the trees are, in wide regions, motionless as death itself, being unstirred by a breath of wind. In the fields, all along the hills are to be seen numerous sheep lying dead, and the skeletons of others bleached by exposure to the sun. From other parts of the colony a similar story of havoc and desolation comes. It is stated that there are thousands of square miles of land baked and cracked and without a vestige of vegetation upon them. The entire crops for the past season have, of course, been lost. An attempt was made to save the sheep and cattle by conveying them to the coast, but the animals died on the way. One man, it is alleged, has lost 20,000 sheep, another 50,000 and another 120,000. Altogether the colony has lost millions of animals, and many colonists who were last year rich and prosperous are to-day reduced to poverty. A disaster to agriculture such as this must be far reaching indeed in its consequences. Reducing the farmers to destitution it must make itself felt upon all branches of trade, upon every industry and upon the revenue of the colony. The drought is to Australia what the cyclone is to the western states and what the earthquake is to South America. It comes at regular and far too frequent intervals leaving in its wake desolation if not despair. The drought of 1883-4 has been the most disastrous the people of New South Wales ever experienced. Were it not for the great recuperative powers of the colony the future of New South Wales would be dark indeed.

THE LORDS.

There is quite a stir in England over the growing dissatisfaction with the existing constitution of the house of lords. The cry against the "irresponsible and unrepresentative" legislators is waxing very strong. In our issue of yesterday we published telegraphic reports of a great meeting and procession of the trades unions in London, and the sentiments expressed on that occasion were that "the continued existence of the unchecked power of impeding the will of the people exercised by the house of lords is not conducive to the popular welfare and the peace and prosperity of the country." In parliament, too, the subject of reconstructing the house of lords has been broached. John Bright has announced that he will shortly introduce a measure to alter the construction of the house by providing for only a limited number of hereditary peerages, the greater part of the house to be composed of peers elected for life. Only extreme radicals could desire to see the house of lords abolished, but that it will be reconstructed on a more liberal basis can hardly be doubted by those who watch the signs of the times.

THE CHINESE COMMISSION.

The British Columbia government should secure a representation on the Chinese commission, otherwise the case of the province will not be represented at all. Mr. Chapleau has had no experience with the yellow man, and Mr. Justice Gray is altogether too hard-worked as a judge to give the matter the attention it deserves. The opponents of Chinese immigration will stand before the commission in a very disadvantageous light unless the province shall secure a seat at the board. If there is to be an inquiry it should be a full and impartial one.

GEN. GORDON.

Our exclusive dispatches announce the safety of Gen. Gordon. The announcement is made on the report of a "merchant" who claims to have escaped from Mahdi's hands. The merchant adds that Gordon beat off the rebels and killed their leader. If he could only kill the Mahdi!

Eastern Canada Mail.

(Per Northern Pacific Railway.)

BRANTFORD, July 14.—Mr. McCarty, of the Grand Trunk railway, who has been in the city during the past week shadowing a man named David Young, on Saturday night last arrested him in company with a son aged twelve years on a charge of counterfeiting. The prisoners were caught red handed carrying tools and metal. The former comprised two plaster of paris moulds, one for turning out 25 cent and the other 50 cent coins. The prisoner, who is about 50 years of age, came to Brantford some three years ago, since which time it is believed he had been continuously issuing and passing bad money. The counterfeit coins are admirable imitations and have a true sounding ring. The prisoner has time before served terms in the penitentiary.

ST. THOMAS, July 12.—George K. Morton, manager of Molson's Bank, was to day asked to send in his resignation on account of losses sustained in speculating in Chicago. S. Shepard, a grain merchant of this city, has left for California. He is indebted to the bank several thousand dollars.

MONTREAL, July 16:—Major-General Middleton, the new commander-in-chief in Canada, his wife and three children left here for Ottawa to-day. He says that General Luard is not sore over his Canadian experience, but speaks in the kindest terms of the Dominion and the militia. The new infantry schools, he believes, are an excellent system and hopes that the appointments therein will be given to graduates of the Military College, Kingston, which in his opinion trains cadets well. A Kingston graduate, Lieutenant Wise, has been chosen General Middleton's aide-de-camp.

HALIFAX, July 14.—A violent thunder storm swept over the province yesterday and several houses are reported shattered into splinters in various parts. At Muises Point, on the Tusket river, Yarmouth county, lightning struck Anselm Bouchee's house. Mrs. Bouchee hearing the storm got out of bed to see that her children were not frightened and was passing through the hall when a streak of lightning came through the roof, splitting the ceiling over her head and striking her on the back of the neck. Death immediately ensued. In another part of the house two children were struck senseless by the electric fluid. The lightning slightly singed Mrs. Bouchee's hair, but left no visible mark.

QUEBEC, July 14.—Intelligence from Fox river states that the steamship Warwick, with a cargo of iron, is ashore two miles below that place. The passengers and crew on board will be landed as soon as the weather permits. So far there is no serious damage to the vessel. She lies in a bad position on the rocks in seven feet of water forward. The only communication to shore is by line or hawser.

BELLEVILLE, July 14.—At about two o'clock on Sunday morning the grist mill on Coleman street, owned and operated by Ald. R. B. Cooper, was found to be on fire, and the building being of wood it was badly damaged. Incendiarism is suspected.

COBOURG, July 14.—On Saturday last, as Lena Boswell was washing clothes, she was approached by Minnie Stillwell, who took up a bottle lying on the window, and telling her that she would anoint her with "holy water," proceeded to pour the liquid on the young girl's head. The victim commenced to scream, and soon all the mill was in an uproar, and the liquid was found to be vitriol. The side of the young girl's face, as well as her neck and arms, are seriously burned. She will be marked for life.

HAMILTON, July 14.—Henry George, the political economist, will address the labor organizations of Hamilton on the 4th of August.

Mortality returns show an unusual number of deaths from Canadian cholera, which doctors ascribe to the filthy condition of some streets.

English Chit-Chat.

THE QUEEN AND HER DAUGHTER.

The Queen is about to be visited by her daughter, the Crown Princess of Germany. There has been considerable coolness between the mother and daughter for some years, the Crown Princess sharing the disgust of her brother and the rest of the family at the position which John Brown was allowed to assume. The young lady expressed herself very freely about the "guzzling, drunken and impudent highlander" and the old lady was so infuriated that it took a visit from the empress of Germany to compose her.

THE TOURISTS SCARED HOME.

Tourist agent Cook says it is almost impossible to exaggerate the effects of the cholera outbreak. Besides the depression upon general business its effects upon European summer travel have been simply enormous. The number of Americans who have returned and arranged to return from the continent to England is unprecedented for this time of the year. English continental tourists have been most thoroughly alarmed and nearly all have returned home.

The condition of the Thames excites alarm and large sums are being expended. Sewerage, which was thought to be discharged far below, washes up past parliament house.

All English journals favor Cleveland over Blaine in the interest of trade and peace. They are evidently afraid of Blaine though his letter of acceptance has greatly modified the hostility to him.

BRITISH POLITICS.

LONDON, July 20.—Lord Redsdale proposes to settle the existing difficulties by adjourning instead of proroguing parliament.

Hawaiian Islands.

The Swedish astronomers have pitched their tent close to Oahu Prison and have set up their instruments.

Work on the interior of the new library building is now progressing. The pillars of the entrance porch have yet to be placed.

The Mutual Telephone Company has commenced setting up poles for its cables.

A grand ball in aid of Queen Kapiolani's fund for the relief of lepers was given at the hotel on Friday evening. The large dining hall was prettily decorated, and Berger's quadrille band provided the music. Their majesties the king and queen, the Princess Lydia and Like-like, Prince Oscar and suite, and a large party of ladies and gentlemen enjoyed a pleasant evening, and the fund benefitted considerably.

Twenty-five dollars for foreign missions was struck out of the appropriation bill on Monday.

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WILL BE PAID FOR INFORMATION WHICH will lead to the arrest and conviction of the person who wounded a valuable Clydesdale COLT belonging to the undersigned, on the evening of the 21st July, with a sharp instrument.

JESSIE ANDERSON.

Lochend Farm, Highland Dist., July 22. jy23 1w

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CARRYING H. M. MAILS AND W. F. & CO.'S EXPRESS AND NORTHERN PACIFIC EXPRESS.

THE PACIFIC COAST STEAMSHIP Co.'s steamer

MEXICO,

CAPT. HUNTINGTON,

Will sail from the VICTORIA WHARF, outer harbor, for San Francisco, on

MONDAY, JULY 28TH, AT NOON.

Intending shippers are requested to make arrangements for freight as early as possible so that room may be reserved for their shipments.

Freight for shipment by her is requested to be on the wharf of the undersigned by 5 o'clock P. M. on Saturday, 26th July.

For Freight and Passage apply to

jy23 WELCH, RITHET & CO., Agents.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

Barque MARTHA, Capt. McPherson, fm Hongkong.

THIS VESSEL WILL DISCHARGE CARGO at our wharf TO-DAY, July 23d, and following days.

Consignees are requested to present their bills of lading to the undersigned, pay freight and receive delivery orders for their goods.

Goods remaining on the wharf after 5 o'clock P. M. each day will be stored at the risk and expense of the consignees thereof respectively.

WELCH, RITHET & CO.,
Consignees of Martha.

Victoria, 22d July, 1884. jy23

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I SHALL APPLY TO the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for the issuance of a Crown Grant to the lot or parcel of land known as the "Kootenay Chief" mine, which is more fully described as to metes and bounds by the official plat, and by the field notes of survey thereof, on file at the office of the Gold Commissioner for Kootenay District.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the mining ground or premises, or any portion thereof, are hereby notified that unless their adverse claims are duly filed within the time prescribed by the Act, 47 Vic., ch. 10, they will be barred by the provisions of the said Statute.

GEO. J. AINSWORTH.

Victoria, July 15th, 1884. jy23

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I SHALL apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for the issuance of a Crown Grant to the lot or parcel of land known as the "Lulu" mine, which is more fully described as to metes and bounds by official plat, and by the field notes of survey thereof, on file in the office of the Gold Commissioner for Kootenay District.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the mining ground or premises, or any portion thereof, are hereby notified that unless their adverse claims are duly filed within the time prescribed by the Mineral Act, 47 Vic., Ch. 10, they will be barred by the provisions of said statute.

C. J. WOODBURY,
Per THOS. HAMMILL, Agent.

Victoria, 15th July, 1884 jy23

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I SHALL apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for the issuance of a Crown Grant to the lot or parcel of land known as the "Comfort" mine, which is more fully described as to metes and bounds by the official plat, and by the field notes of survey thereof, on file in the office of the Gold Commissioner for Kootenay District.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the mining ground or premises, or any portion thereof, are hereby notified that unless their adverse claims are duly filed within the time prescribed by the Mineral Act, 47 Vic., Ch. 10, they will be barred by the provisions of said Statute.

C. J. WOODBURY,
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Victoria, B.C., July 15th, 1884. jy23

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Packages over 9 and under 25	50 cts each
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FROM VICTORIA OR NEW WESTMINSTER TO YALE.

Less than 3 lbs	25 cents each
From 3 lbs to 10 lbs	50 cents each
From 10 lbs to 25 lbs	75 cents each
From 25 lbs to 50 lbs	$1.00 each
From 50 lbs to 75 lbs	$1.50 each
From 75 lbs to 100 lbs or over	2 cts. per lb

TO LYTON AND POINTS BETWEEN YALE AND LYTTON.

Less than 2 lbs	25 cts. each
From 2 lbs to 5 lbs	50 cts. each
From 5 lbs to 10 lbs	$1.00 each
From 10 lbs to 25 lbs	10 cts per lb
From 25 lbs to 75 lbs	8 cts per lb
Over 75 lbs	6 cts per lb
To Spence's Bridge, Nicola, Savona, Kamloops, Cache Creek and Clinton	20 cts per lb
To Barkerville and all points between Barkerville and Clinton	25 cts per lb

On C. O. D. and valuable packages one per cent. on value in addition to ordinary rates.

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jy22dweod3m Manager B.C. Express Co.

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WANTED

A WOMAN COMPETENT TO TAKE CHARGE of a young child. Apply between the hours of 1 and 3 p. m., to

MRS. D. OPPENHEIMER,
y15 1w Revere House, Pandora Ave

WANTED

FOR CEDAR HILL SCHOOL, A TEACHER. Applications, with certificates, to be sent to the undersigned on or before Tuesday, 22nd July.

H. KING,
jy19 Sect'y Board of Trustees.

SITUATION WANTED.

YOUNG MAN, STEADY, WHO CAN MILK, DESIRES situation on a milk ranch, or as gardener, etc., understands horses.

Reply by letter, Victoria P O.

jy19* WM. R. CLIFFORD.

WANTED

WANTED IMMEDIATELY, A HOUSEMAID. Apply at

jy8 GOVERNMENT HOUSE.

TEACHER WANTED.

FEMALE TEACHER WANTED FOR MAYNE Island School. Apply to

jy17 2w W. ROBSON, Secretary.

WANTED.

BOY FOR A DRY GOODS STORE—Apply in applicant's own handwriting. P. O. Box N. je27

WANTED---CANVASSERS.

$12 A WEEK AND COMMISSION. The Singer Manufacturing Company, Government street, Victoria.

jy11 JOHN ROBERTS, Agent.

TEACHER WANTED

FOR A SCHOOL AT QUESNELLEMOUTH—Salary, $900 per year. Apply to

H. HUDSON,
Secretary Board of Trustees.

Quesnellemouth, June 21st, 1884. jy3dw1m

TEACHERS WANTED.

WANTED FOR THE NEW WESTMINSTER Public Schools, three female teachers holding the necessary certificates of qualification—one for principal of the highest division of girls; one for the intermediate division, and one for junior division. Salaries, respectively, $70, $60 and $50 per month. Duties to commence on or about the 1st of August next. Applications, with testimonials, to be sent to undersigned not later than the 15th of July.

T. J. TRAPP,
Secretary to Board of Trustees.

New Westminster, June 23d, 1884. je25

VICTORIA HOUSE

GOVERNMENT ST.

THIRTY DAYS' SALE,

COMMENCING

MONDAY, 14th July.

THE UNDERSIGNED IS ADDING ANOTHER Story to his Building and about to make Extensive Alterations on the ground floor, in consequence of which the whole of the Large Stock of

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jy13 1m **WILLIAM DENNY.**

STEAMER LORD DUFFERIN.

SAVONA, July 17.

WE HEREBY CERTIFY THAT WE SAW THE boiler of the steamer "Lord Dufferin" tested to an hydraulic pressure of one hundred and ten pounds per square inch, according to the guage now on the boiler, and that the boiler stood it without unnecessary leakage.

A. ONDERDONK,
J. W. BURSE,
jy18 H. J. CAMBIE.

PHILHARMONIC HALL.

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FRIDAY, 25th, **PINAFORE.**
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Regular Prices. No extra charge for reserved seats. Box plan at Hibben's, commencing Friday, 9 a. m.

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CARD OF THANKS.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, BEG TO RETURN our sincere thanks to the Liverpool and London and Globe Insurance Company for their prompt and liberal settlement of our claim, through their agents, Messrs. Hall & Goepel, in satisfaction of our loss at the recent fire.

JOHNSON, WALKER & FLETT,
Queen City Planing Mills.

Victoria, B.C., 12th July, 1884. jy13 1w

BAZAAR

IN AID OF THE FUNDS OF THE NEW ROMAN CATHOLIC CATHEDRAL

THE LADIES OF THE CONGREGATION WILL hold a Bazaar and

Sale of Fancy Goods and Plain Sewing,

In the NEW HALL, VIEW STREET, on

Wednesday and Thursday,

JULY 23RD AND 24TH.

DOORS are open each day at NOON.

REFRESHMENTS OF ALL KINDS

WILL BE PROVIDED,

ADMISSION, 25 cents; Children, half-price.

DONATIONS—Parties wishing to donate articles for the Bazaar, can leave the same with Mrs. T. J. BURNES at the Hall on the days the Bazaar is held.

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B. C. GARRISON ARTILLERY.

REGIMENTAL ORDERS BY MAJOR DUPONT COMMANDING.

THE BATTERIES AT HEADQUARTERS WILL parade at the drill shed on WEDNESDAY, the 23rd instant, at 6:30 p. m., in marching order, for the purpose of proceeding to camp at Beacon Hill.

Each N. C. O. and man will provide himself with a knife and fork, spoon, plate and cup.

By order. R. WOLFENDEN, Capt.,
Adjutant.

18th July, 1884. jy19

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NEW GOODS! CHEAP GOODS!

—AT—

W. & J. WILSON'S,

OPPOSITE THE POSTOFFICE.

THEIR STOCK CONSISTS OF CLOTHING, HATS, AND EVERYTHING FOR MEN'S AND BOYS' WEAR.

A Large and Splendid Assortment of SUMMER GOODS BOUGHT CHEAP FOR CASH THEY ARE SELLING PRICES AWAY DOWN!! On inspection you will find their goods the CHEAPEST in the Province.

GIVE THEM A CALL AND JUDGE FOR YOURSELF. ap23 3m

AGRICULTURAL.

E. G. PRIOR,

DIRECT IMPORTER AND DEALER IN

IRON, HARDWARE STEEL

—AND—

AGRICULTURAL MACHINERY.

SOLE AGENT FOR

DEERING TWINE BINDERS, BUCKEYE MOWERS, WATSON SULKY RAKES, HOOSIER DRILL & BROADCAST SEEDER, HAYLOADERS, CHATHAM WAGONS, MINNESOTA CHIEF THRESHERS, PLANET, JR., CULTIVATORS, ETC., ETC., ETC.

ALSO—FOR SALE CHEAP,

1 NEW BOILER, 10 ft. x 2½ with Steam Drum 48x24, complete and fittings complete.

80 COOLERS, 36x36.

my6 1m **GOVERNMENT STREET,**

a30dw8m VICTORIA, B. C.

BURNS & CO.

DEALERS IN

AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS,

Hardware, Iron & Steel, &c.,

HAVE RECEIVED THEIR SEASON'S SUPPLY of Harvesting and other Machinery, which they offer for sale on FAVORABLE TERMS

BRANTFORD CORD BINDERS, REAPERS AND MOWERS,

Osborne Mower, Brantford Grain Drill, Brantford Spring Tooth Cultivator and Broadcast Seeder, Spring Tooth Harrows and Cultivators, Centennial Sulky Rake, Brantford and Climax Fanning Mills,

MOHAWK CHIEF PLOW, CLIPPER PLOW, DEERE'S K 13 PLOW, SULKY PLOWS, GANG PLOWS,

WAGGONS "Snowball," "Adams," and "Speight," 1¼ to 3 in. Tires.

AGENTS FOR

WATEROUS ENGINE WORKS CO.,

BRANTFORD, ONT.,

Manufacturers of Threshing and Sawmill Establishments, Grist Mills, Clapping Mills, Champion Engines, etc.

AGENTS FOR

J. & W. Stuart, Musselburgh, Manufacturers of

SALMON NETS AND TWINE—A Stock on Hand

Victoria, B.C., 24th March, 1884. mh26dw1m

SHIPS AND STEAMERS.

Cathedral Sunday Schools

EXCURSION!

AN EXCURSION IN CONNECTION WITH THE above schools will take place on

TUESDAY, JULY 29TH.

The Steamer ENTERPRISE will leave the Hudson Bay wharf for PEDDER BAY on that day at 8 a. m. and again at 11 a. m., returning about 5 p. m.

TICKETS may be had at Messrs. Hibben's and Waitt's bookstores, or from any of the teachers of the Sunday Schools.

PRICE 81; CHILDREN, HALF-PRICE.

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GRAND EXCURSION

—TO—

NORTHERN PORTS.

THE STEAMER

PRINCESS LOUISE

CAPT. MEYER,

WILL LEAVE VICTORIA ON 2ND OF AUGUST FOR QUEEN CHARLOTTE ISLANDS,

Calling at Fort Simpson, Metlakahtla, Skeena and all points of interest.

PASSAGE FOR THE ROUND TRIP OF FROM TWELVE TO FIFTEEN DAYS, HAS BEEN PLACED AT THE LOW RATE OF

Thirty-Five Dollars, including Meals and Beds.

All who wish to enjoy a fine trip should secure tickets at as early a date as possible.

For further particulars inquire at the office of the C. P. N. Co., Limited.

je1 JNO. IRVING, Manager.

PEOPLE'S STEAM NAVIGATION CO'Y

(LIMITED)

THE STEAMER

AMELIA

Leaves Turner, Beeton & Co.,s wharf for NANAIMO and way ports

EVERY MONDAY MORNING AT 10 O'CLOCK
" **FRIDAY** " **7** "

For NEW WESTMINSTER and Port Hammond

EVERY WEDNESDAY AT 7 A. M.

jy4 1m

NOTICE.

Barque HARVEST HOME, from Liverpool.

NEITHER CAPT. WILLIAMS NOR THE UNdersigned will be responsible for any debts contracted by the officers and crew of the above vessel.

WELCH, RITHET & CO.

Victoria, June 28th, 1884. je28

THE ESQUIMALT AND NANAIMO RAILWAY CO.

NOTICE.

A MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS OF THE Company will be held at the office of the Company at Victoria, British Columbia, on Tuesday, the 5th August next, at 3 p.m.

By order of the Provisional Directors.

CHAS. E. POOLEY,
Secretary pro. tem.

Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway Co.

Dated Victoria, 10th July, 1884. jy11dw

AGRICULTURAL.

The KING TYE COMPANY

Import, Manufacture and Deal in

DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, OPIUM, ETC.

CLOTHING of every description manufactured at reasonable rates.

Having superior facilities for importing and manufacturing goods, we invite a call from intending purchasers.

Temporary Place: Cormorant St., above Store, Victoria, B. C.

P. O. Box 303. je14 2m

GENERAL ABSTRACT

Showing the average amount of Liabilities and Assets of the BANK OF BRITISH COLUMBIA within the Province of British Columbia and its Dependencies, taken from the several weekly statements for the Quarter ending 30th June, 1884.

LIABILITIES.		ASSETS.		
Notes in circulation	$720,641 00	Legal Tender Coin in Gold and Silver		$271,087 24
Balances due to other Banks and Branches	38,265 91	Gold Bullion		3,648 62
Deposits not bearing Interest	$1,112,456 25	Landed and other Property		26,850 00
Deposits bearing Interest	83,992 43	Balances due from other Banks and Branches situate within the Province	$ 2,887 45	
	1,196,449 28	Balances due from other Banks and Branches situate without the Province	480,636 37	
				483,523 82
		All debts due to the Bank within the Province, including Notes, Bills of Exchange, and all Stock and Funded Debts of every description excepting Notes, Bills and Balances due from other Banks & Branches	1,458,061 08	
		Do. without the Province	16,308 79	
				1,475,272 87
Total Amount of Liabilities	$1,955,356 19	Total Amount of Assets		$2,760,382 55

Amount of Capital Stock paid up at close of the Quarter ending 30th June, 1884 ..... $1,750,000
Rate of last dividend declared to the Shareholders ... 6 per cent. per annum and 1½ per cent. bonus.
Amount of last dividend declared $77,850
Amount of reserved profit at the time of declaring such dividend $285,030

(Signed) WM. C. WARD, Manager.
(Signed) GEO. GILLESPIE, Accountant

VICTORIA, B. C., 8th July, 1884.

I, WILLIAM CURTIS WARD, do hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing statement is a true and faithful account of the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets within this Province of this Bank during the period specified and that the same was made up from the Weekly Statements thereof kept in pursuance of the provisions of "The Banking Act, 1861."

(Signed) W. C. W

Declared before me at Victoria, B. C., this 8th day of July, 1884.

jy9 1w (Signed) W. F. TOLMIE, M.D., J. P.,
(Standard copy.)

THE "GOSSAMER,"

IS THE LATEST AND NEATEST FITTING SHOE EVER IMPORTED INTO THIS PROVINCE. TO BE HAD ONLY AT THE

B. C. BOOT AND SHOE STORE.

GENTLEMEN, YOU SHOULD SEE THEM.

H. MANSELL, GOVERNMENT STREET.

POSTOFFICE BOX 34. ap20

CANADIAN PACIFIC NAVIGATION CO., LIMIT'D

Taking effect from July 4th Steamers will leave as follows, viz:—

EAST COAST ROUTE.

FROM VICTORIA FOR	MONDAY.	TUESDAY.	WEDNESDAY.	THURSDAY.	FRIDAY.	SATURDAY.
Saanich					7 A. M.	
Cowichan	7 A. M.				7 A. M.	
Burgoyne Bay			7 A. M.			
Maple Bay	7 A. M.		7 A. M.		7 A. M.	
Vesuvias Bay	7 A. M.				7 A. M.	
Chemainus	7 A. M.		7 A. M.		7 A. M.	
Nanaimo	7 A. M.		7 A. M.		7 A. M.	

FRASER RIVER ROUTE.

FROM VICTORIA FOR	MONDAY.	TUESDAY.	WEDNESDAY.	THURSDAY.	FRIDAY.	SATURDAY.
Ladner's Landing	7 A. M.		7 A. M.		7 A. M.	
New Westminster	7 A. M.		7 A. M.		7 A. M.	
Port Hammond	7 A. M.		7 A. M.		7 A. M.	
Plumper Pass					7 A. M.	

NOTE—Steamers leaving Victoria Mondays and Fridays connect at New Westminster for Hope and all way Landings.

Freight for Yale and Points in the Interior must be shipped via Port Hammond and Shippers are requested to mark weight on each package.

No freight will be received after 5 p.m.

my14tf JNO. IRVING, Manager.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY

NOTICE.

THE ONLY STATIONS WHERE GOODS COMing by boat will be received for transport by the Railway are Port Hammond and Port Moody. If delivered elsewhere they will not be forwarded.

jy8 1m A. ONDERDONK.

de la Penotiere & Wake,

REAL ESTATE BROKERS,

DOMINION AND PROVINCIAL LAND SURVEYORS, ETC.,

OFFICE on Bastion street, between Government and Langley. je13

IN RE CHAS. LUMBLAD, DECEASED

PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE above Estate will present them for payment on or before

15TH DAY OF AUGUST, 1884,

and all persons indebted to the Estate will make immediate payment to

WM. W. DODD
or JOHN HUNTER,
Executors.

Stanley, 10th July, 1884. 1mw jy20

H. E. CROASDAILE. A. W. JONES.

CROASDAILE & JONES,

Real Estate Agents and Brokers

CITY LOTS FOR SALE AT LOW PRICES AND on Easy Terms, situated in the Hillside Extension Work Estate.

ALSO—Lots on Moss and Cornwall streets, Spring Ridge and Victoria West.

FARMS and Farming Lands for sale throughout the Province. Money to Loan on Mortgage at low interest.

OFFICE:—Government street, near Broughton, Victoria, B.C. P. O. Box 161. my10 6m

GALT SAFES.

RECEIVED IN STORE, ANOTHER CARLOAD (assorted sizes), per steamer Olympian.

These celebrated safes are first-class in material and workmanship, and are warranted fireproof. The prices are right.

G. ROBERTSON, Agent,
ROBERTSON, McLAGAN & CO., Estate Agents,
jy11 1m Victoria.

NOTICE.

THE CO-PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXISTing between C. H. Charity and John F. Smith as boot and shoe makers at Lytton, B. C., is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

(Signed) C. H. CHARITY,
JOHN F. SMITH.

Lytton, B.C., 10th July, 1884. jy16 3t

NOTICE.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I WILL ONLY accept COIN FOR RENT, as well as for the payments to be made to me.

•80 LD. LOWENBERG

Daily Colonist.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, JULY 23RD, 1884.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ENTERED.

July 22—Str Geo. E. Starr, Pt Townsend
Str Eliza Anderson, Pt Townsend
Str Olympian, Pt Townsend
Str R. P. Rithet, New Westminster
Str Woodside, Sooke
Str Dolphin, Nanaimo
Str Amelia, Nanaimo
Sch W. P. Sayward, Nanaimo
Sch Black Diamond, Saanich
Ship P. G. Carvil, Callao

CLEARED.

July 22—Str Geo. E. Starr, Pt Townsend
Str Eliza Anderson, Pt Townsend
Str Dolphin, Straits
Str R. P. Rithet, New Westminster
Str Olympian, Pt Townsend
Str Amelia, New Westminster
Sch Black Diamond, Saanich

PASSENGERS.

Per str AMELIA, fm Nanaimo—E Pimbury, H B Wilson, J Abrams, C Morton, Thos Hirst, Rev T Anderson, J Fisher, J M Brown, G Fisher, Gilbert, Hoggan, J Harper, F Lynch, Kirst, Mrs Pearce, Sabiston, Mrs Bate, Miss Bate, J King, Bednall and wife, Samson, Coburn, Badnecott.

Per str WESTERN SLOPE, fm Nanaimo—Miss Rivers, McClure, Sweeney, Wilson, Hoskins, Jenkins, Moffatt, Burns, Misses Dunsmuir, Copeland, Slugget, Miss McDonald, Miss Burnaby, Ward, D Gray, G B Ordano, Wilson, Morgan and 40 others.

Per str R. P. RITHET, fm New Westminster—Mr and Mrs Belen, Mrs Wilson, Miss Dickinson, Mr and Mrs Morton, Miss Clute, Miss Connor, Miss Johnson, Miss Cummings, Miss Cole, Capt Pittendrigh, H Tilton, Mr Bole, J Wilson, Rev Dunn, T K York, Rudge, Thompson, Isaacs, McDougall, Robertson, Chase, Mohun, Ferguson, Little, Simpson, Stone and 15 others.

Per str OLYMPIAN, from Puget Sound—Judge Swan, Thos Daley and wife, and 2 Chinese.

Per str ELIZA ANDERSON, fm Puget Sound—G McDonald, F Washburne, J Anderson, O Turnquist, W Swanson, H Olsen, S Johnson, A Buck, J Wilson, P Grant, A J McDonald, Fred Bitseld and lady, A Gamess, C Levi, Miss C Smith, J Smith and 3 Chinese

Per str GEO. E. STARR, from Puget Sound—G Requist, T H Crawford, Rev Dong Chong, Jno West, Mrs Hughes, Mrs Hunter, H T Taylor, Miss Marder, and 1 Indian.

CONSIGNEES.

Per str GEO. E. STARR, from Puget Sound—T Shotbolt, Moore & Co, F Norris, D Spencer, W Wood, P McQuade and Son, Marvin and Tilton, H B Co, J H Todd and Son, Oppenheimer Bros, Jno West.

DEATHS.

On the 20th instant, Solomon A. Copeland, a native of Mississippi, U.S., aged 50 years.

The funeral will take place THIS DAY at 2:30 p.m. from his late residence, and at 2:45 from St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Courtenay street.

Supreme Court.

(Before Sir Mathew B. Begbie, C. J.)

McKillican & Anderson vs. Frederick Revely—This action is brought to recover $2320, balance for the erection of a dwelling house on the Saanich road. The defendant claims that the work has not been done according to the specifications and is still unfinished. The defendant by counter-claim sues the plaintiff for $500 damages for delays and breach of contract in not completing the said house according to agreement.

A motion was now made on behalf of the defendant for judgment upon admissions of fact in the counter-claim and the plaintiffs' reply thereto.

His lordship granted judgment accordingly, the damages to be assessed at the trial of the cause.

Mr. Fell (Fell & Mills) for the defendant; Mr. Wilson (Davie & Wilson) for the plaintiffs.

Sea vs. McLean—Application for leave to appeal to the sitting of the full court from the judgment pronounced herein in favor of the plaintiff.

Mr. Helmcken in support of the summons; Mr. Wilson and Mr. Eberts contra. Order made.

Personal.

Mr. Thos. Daily and wife of Hope and Judge Swan of Port Townsend were passengers by the Olympian yesterday.

The Misses Dunsmuir were passengers by the Western Slope from Nanaimo.

Mr. H. Havelock, formerly connected with the press of this province, is now a resident of Sunderland, England.

Messrs. Norman Bole, E. Mohun, W. H. Ladner, H. Tilton and Capt. Pittendreigh were passengers by the R. P. Rithet yesterday.

The Amelia brought, among others from Nanaimo, Rev. Mr. Anderson, Mrs. M. Pate and Miss Bate, Mr. S. Bednall and wife, Messrs. E. Pimbury, James Abrams, W. B. Wilson and Peter Sabiston.

Rev. Mr. Stephen returned from a visit o the mainland yesterday.

Mr. James Wilson, superintendent of telegraphs, is in this city.

Important Commission.

Judge Swan has been commissioned by the U. S. government to proceed to Alaska and Queen Charlotte Islands for the purpose of collecting all the implements and articles of manufacture of the natives of those localities. The collection will include similar objects from the west coast of Vancouver Island and Cape Flattery. The articles will be taken by Judge Swan to the New Orleans Centennial Cotton Exhibition which opens on December 1st. Mr. Swan is now in Victoria arranging for transportation.

Explanation.

The board of examiners desire to state that the marks obtained by Miss Christina Forrest at the recent examination were obtained on first A papers, and therefore her rank in grade B is lower than it would have been had she taken the B papers in all subjects.

H. M. STRAMBERG,
S. D. POPE,
FRED. G. WALKER.

FUNERAL.—Yesterday afternoon the funeral of the late Mr. Benjamin Williams took place from his late residence at three o'clock. Service was held in Christ Church Cathedral. The funeral was attended by a large number of friends of the deceased gentleman.

THE CHINESE ABDUCTION CASE.—This case will be continued before the police magistrate this morning. Yesterday Dr. Jackson was called on to attend the youngest of the Chinese girls, but his opinion was that beyond a little nervousness there was nothing serious the matter.

H. M. S. CONSTANCE.—Since Monday afternoon it has been resolved to send the Constance to sea immediately. Stores were taken in yesterday, and the ship will sail to-day in the track of the Heroine.

EAGLE PASS WAGON ROAD.—Mr. Wright has 125 men employed on this road and is pushing the work with commendable rapidity.

GAS INSPECTION.—Mr. Richard Jones, provincial assessor for Victoria district, is the fortunate appointee to the position of gas inspector. He will commence his duties shortly.

What Some People Say.

That "See here," he said to his clerk, "I don't mind letting you off a day now and then to attend your grandmother's funeral, but I think you might have the courtesy to send a few of the fish round to my house."

That some school girls made up a sponge cake and sent it without a label to an agricultural fair. They got a notice from the judges some time afterwards that their sample of concrete had been received, and that the city would like an estimate as to the cost of block pavement of that kind, it being the most desirable of any presented, and just the thing for streets where the travel is heavy.

That "the hand that rocks the cradle is the hand that rules the world." In this country it is usually the hand of the Chinese servant.

That Sullivan the slogger is now known as Sullivan the drinker.

That G. W. A. Lange & Son offer twenty settlers a home and a fortune. *

THAT MESSRS. J. B. FERGUSON & CO. HAVE A STOCK OF GAGE'S NEW SCHOOL BOOKS JUST TO HAND. SPECIAL TERMS TO THE TRADE.

That a fresh lot of San Juan strawberries and a lot of chickens (broilers) were received this morning at Beauchamp's, Yates street.

That the King Tye Co. are leading manufacturers and importers of clothing, groceries, etc. *

That everyone should take some stock in the new theatre.

That the Rock Bay section is growing with great rapidity, and the ratepayers there are entitled to the consideration of the city council.

That the house of lords are in trouble, and may well tremble for their existence. But it would be better for them to cease to exist than to "legislate with ropes about their necks," as Lord Salisbury remarked.

That Mr. T. J. Trapp's letter, in reply to "Fair Play," is a manly refutation of an unmanly charge.

That Clothing, Hats and Underclothing are very cheap at W. & J. Wilson's. Look at their prices and you will see that their stock is the best value in Victoria. *

"PATRONIZE HOME INDUSTRY." Rubber Stamps of all kinds made to order. R. T. WILLIAMS, Broad street.

That the Leading clothing and furnishing House in the Province is the Scotch House, A. McLEAN & Co. Established 1862. 3m*

That water costs five cents a pailfull at Key West, Florida.

That wire fences are being utilized for telephones between neighboring farmers.

That a country doctor announces that he has changed his residence to the neighborhood of the churchyard which he hopes may prove a great convenience to his numerous patients.

That a new book is entitled "What can a woman do?" An answer to the question can be found by asking any bald-headed man.

That a couple of German scientists are going to take a phonographer into the interior of Africa to register the speech of the native races.

That for best value in clothing, furnishing goods, trunks, &c., go to the Mechanics' Store, Johnson street, W. G. CAMERON.

That THOMAS NICHOLSON, Family Grocer, corner Douglas and Johnson streets, has a new stock of Groceries and Provisions, Lard, Hams and Bacon, packed by the famous house of Logus and Dieringer, Oregon city. Goods delivered. Fine Wines and Liquors. Prices low *3m

That for farms in the Fraser valley and city lots in New Westminster and Port Moody apply to C. D. RAND, Real Estate Broker, New Westminster. dw

That an imaginative Irishman gave utterance to this lamentation: "I returned to the halls of my fathers by night, and I found them in ruins. I cried aloud, 'My fathers, where are they?' and echo responded, 'Is it you, Patrick McGlachry?'"

That Punch once told a droll story of a man who, being suddenly raised to riches, exclaimed in the fullness of his satisfaction, "O that I could stand in the road and see myself ride past in my carriage!"

That the Hon. Mr. Chapleau is coming to British Columbia via the Central Pacific and San Francisco. The party will probably come up on the Queen.

That fifty fishermen have been drowned in the Columbia river in three months.

That Mr. W. R. Gibbon, the baritone of the Tivoli Company, was a former resident of Victoria. He was noted for his fine voice.

Marine.

The barque Remijio is loading coal from Departure Bay for San Francisco. The coal is brought down by the barge C. L Taylor, on account of the number of vessels loading at the bay.

British barque Pacific Slope, from Moodyville, arrived at Sydney, July 5th.

Schooner Letitia of San Francisco, Muller, 41 days from Vladivostok, Gulf of Tartary, in ballast, arrived at Port Townsend on Sunday, the 20th. Vladivostok is the Russian military post on the north side of Emperor's harbor, and about forty miles north of the Tumen Ula river, the boundary between Corea and Chinese Tartary. It is the winter harbor for the trade destined for the Amoor river. Capt. Muller reports the harbor as being accessible at all times, but liable to fogs during the early spring. The Letitia will load lumber at Port Blakeley for San Pedro, California.

The steamer Pilot will bring down the ship Spinney from Departure Bay, coal laden, with a cargo of 3,100 tons for San Francisco.

The steamer Sardonyx will leave on Wednesday to bring down the ship Nancy Pendleton from Departure Bay, bound for San Francisco.

The barque Martha, from Hongkong, is moored alongside Welch, Rithet & Co's wharf.

Steamer Bonita landed Pilot Clements off the harbor at 1 o'clock this morning, and passed on to Portland with 500 tons of Wellington coal.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, July 22.—Arrived—Stmr Queen of the Pacific, 62 hours from Victoria.

Sailed, 5 p.m.—Br. stmr Wellington, Departure Bay.

The Chinese Government Agent.

Mr. Huang Sic Chen, with his secretary and interpreter, drove through the city and suburbs yesterday morning and in the evening were entertained at dinner by Mr. Wing Chong at the restaurant of Quong Chang on Cormorant street. The repast, which comprised every comestible that is dear to the Chinese stom—heart, lasted until 10 o'clock in the evening. Yesterday afternoon Collector Hamley was accorded an interview and to-day official calls will be made.

Mr. Chen says that his countrymen are contented here, because they enjoy a degree of protection for life and property which is not to be found in every country. They are also allowed to buy and sell property, which he considers an advantage both to the country and his people.

Asked about the possibility of war with France the plenipotentiary replied evasively that his only source of information were the American and English newspapers, which sometimes displayed a singular want of knowledge respecting Chinese politics. Evidently he was averse to being drawn out on the subject.

The Chapleau mission came up incidentally, and the Chinese representative expressed his intention of remaining until after Mr. Chapleau had arrived. He did not try to conceal that one of the objects of his presence here is to attend the sitting of the commission and hear what the government and people have to say for and against Chinese immigration to British Columbia.

Kicking Horse Pass.

A letter has to travel a considerable distance to get two or three hundred miles in British Columbia. One received in this city yesterday dated July 7th came from thirty miles beyond the end of the track in the Rocky Mountains. In it was a short description of the trip of two ladies and a gentleman to the railway camp:—"We are nearly thirty miles this side of the track, and we came that distance on a 'buckboard,' a carriage peculiar to the northwest. The roads were bad and we had a rough time of it. We came by Kicking Horse Pass and crossed the famous Kicking Horse river twenty times. I imagine it must have looked nice when crossing the river to have seen three pairs of feet on the dashboard, but notwithstanding our difficulties we arrived in camp without any serious injuries. Our arms were the sorest as we had to hang on to the back of the seat when going over huge boulders on the road. Our horses were mules, and they are fine animals. I am prepared to read a lecture two hours long on that much-to-be-pitied animal called the mule. I love the mule. We have been here nearly six weeks already, and out of that time we have had rain every day almost for four weeks. Our camp is beautifully situated between Kicking Horse river and Porcupine Creek, a lashing, slashing, rolling, tumbling, minature Niagara Falls, rushing down from the mountains. We receive and send letters twice a week. One of the mail carriers the other day decamped with seven or eight hundred dollars, one hundred and fifty of which our cooks were sending home to their wives. There are three cooks and over one hundred men in our camp."

Mr. Redfern's Building.

This handsome block, of which the details have already been given, is fast approaching completion. On the ground floor are two fine stores running the whole depth of the building, with fire-proof safes, and the windows of which will consist of single panes of plate glass. Between the stores is a double staircase descending from the second floor to the front and rear. The whole of this flat has been rented by Mr. Dunsmuir as railway offices, and has been in some measure arranged for that purpose. At the north end is a draughting room extending the whole depth of the building, with two fire places. This room will be about 48 feet long. Crossing the spacious landing to the other side of the building there are two front offices, communicating with each other as well as with the adjoining room in the rear, which being a middle room is lighted by a skylight. The back office behind this also opens into a smaller office. In the rear of the store at the south end to be occupied by Mr. Redfern is the annex to be used as a working jeweller's shop, with iron roof and furnished with furnace and apparatus for supplying hot water. Mr. Redfern expects to move to his new premises somewhere about the middle of August.

A Naval Bully.

A very unpleasant affair is reported from Shanghai as having occurred on May 30th last, in which an officer of the United States navy appears to have acted in a manner unbecoming an officer and a gentleman. An article appeared in the North China Daily News of that day, copied from the Foochow Herald, in which several officers of the United States steamship Enterprise were charged with having behaved in a disgraceful manner, the only apparent excuse for their conduct being that they were in a semi-state of inebriety. The names were mentioned. Lieutenant-Commander George M. Book, the executive officer of the Enterprise, went to the office of the North China Daily News and demanded a most abject apology for the offensive article, to which the editor objected, upon which the gallant officer assaulted the editor. The latter wrote a letter to the commanding officer of the Enterprise complaining of the treatment received, but instead of receiving a courteous reply he was informed that the Admiral of the station had declined to have anything to do with the case, adding that the writer "particularly regretted the publication of the unfortunate paragraph which had been the cause of the difficulty."

The Opera Company.

Mr. Kinross received a telegram yesterday stating that five of the Tivoli Opera Co. had been subpœnaed at Portland as witnesses in the Howard robbery case which which will be heard in a few days. Under these circumstances the company could not fulfill their engagement at Philharmonic Hall last evening. Mr. Kinross leaves for Portland to-day; the trial will be hastened, the evidence taken and Mr. K. says the company will open their engagement at the Philharmonic on next Monday evening. In the meanwhile parties who have secured their seats and wishing their money refunded will be gratified on application.

The West Shore.

Mr. L. Samuels, the enterprising publisher of the West Shore, an invaluable publication well known and highly appreciated by British Columbians, is in this city with a corps of writers and artists. The object of his visit is to take views and obtain information of the province for a special British Columbia edition of his magazine. Many fine views have been secured and the artists are still at work. We strongly recommend Mr. Samuels' enterprise to the people of this province.

MILITIA.—The batteries will parade at 6 30 o'clock this evening to go into camp at Beacon Hill.

The Coffeehouse Movement.

(London Coffeehouse Journal).

Although the coffee public-house movement appears to make little progress in the United States, it has crossed the American continent to British Columbia. The editor of the Orillia Packet has kindly sent us *The Daily Colonist* of Victoria, in which we read:—

"A coffee-house is opened opposite St. James' Hall, Government street, where the 'Mocha,' tea or chocolate, with any kind of cake, are dispensed at the marvellously low price of 15 cents."

If 7½d. is considered a "marvellously" low price" for a cup of coffee and a cake, it would appear that the price previously charged for temperance refreshments in the capital of British Columbia has been absolutely prohibitive, at least as far as the working classess are concerned, however good may be their wages. No wonder that in the same paper we find the following emphatic presentment of the Grand Jury at the spring assizes:—

"We consider it our duty to comment on the solemn fact that many of the cases which we have had under our consideration during the past few days show by the evidence adduced that the prisoners were under the influence of strong drink, and we further desire to record our conviction that the number of houses licensed for the sale of liquor in this city is greatly in excess of the requirements of the people."

Municipal Police Court.

(Before Hon. A. F. Pemberton.)

TUESDAY, July 22.

ALLEGED STEALING.

Hugh Caldwell was charged with taking and carrying away a brown and white pointer dog belonging F. Wallenstein.

Mr. Pollard defended.

F. Wallenstein stated that he lost the dog some three months ago; the mother and pups were taken to Prospect lake on Good Friday last where the mother was poisoned and last Friday witness saw the dog in front of Mr. Caldwell's blacksmith shop; when called he came at once to witness; he told Birdie Gouge to take the dog to his house, but on the way Mr. Caldwell took the dog away; witness said the the dog was his, but Mr. Caldwell did not heed him; witness also stated that when he took the dog it was in possession of some children and that he did not charge Mr. Caldwell with stealing it.

The dog was produced and identified.

His honor suggested that Mr. Caldwell restore the dog, and as the evidence was insufficient he would dismiss the case.

The dog was then given up to F. Wallenstein.

THE HOWARD ROBBERY. — The case that has caused the detention of the Tivoli Co. at Portland is as follows: Howard kept an hotel at Portland and Smith, a well-to-do rancher, placed $2,600 in the hotel safe over night. Howard spent the money and Smith had him arrested. He was convicted of robbery, but applied for a new trial on a miserable technicality. Meanwhile crazed by his loss Smith blew out his brains. Howard's application for a new trial was successful and five of the Tivoli Co. having been guests in Howard's house when the robbery took place have been subpœnaed as witnesses for the prosecution.

MALICIOUS INJURY.—A valuable Clydesdale colt, property of Mrs. Jessie Anderson, Lochend farm, Highland district, came home with a deep cut in one of its flanks a day or two ago. It is feared the animal is permanently disabled. Mrs. Anderson offers a reward of $20 for the arrest and conviction of the offender.

THE R. C. BAZAAR. — The bazaar in aid of the building fund of the new cathedral will open to-day at noon when an excellent lunch will be served. The ladies have been very busy making preparations and a number of sailors from the warships have draped the walls with flags relieved by wreaths and festoons.

FOR ALBERNI.—The steam schooner Anna Beck is loading for Alberni and will leave towards the end of the week.

THREE STORIES.—It is said that Mr. C. Bossi will add a third story to his new brick building on Cormorant street.

Another Baseless Charge Disposed of.

TO THE EDITOR:—Referring to a letter that appeared in the Standard of the 18th inst. upon school matters and signed "Fair Play," I beg to call your attention to, and to contradict, a statement made therein to the effect that it was with the consent or knowledge of the hon. provincial secretary that the New Westminster trustees had advertised for a Protestant lady to take the principalship of their girls' schools; and to inform "Fair Play" that the New Westminster school board are not in the habit of allowing themselves to be dictated to in the discharge of their duties, "not even by the provincial secretary." They would thank "Fair Play,' should he disapprove of any of their actions in the future, to lay the blame where it belongs and not accuse an innocent party.

T. J. TRAPP,
Secretary to School Board.

THE LAND OF THE EXILES.

The Inhabitants, Religion and Occupation of a Terra Incognito.

The city of Pakutsk, Siberia, is built in the bottom lands of the Lena, the bluffs which usually run along the river banks being here about six miles distant. The houses are log built, with the exception of two—a school and a warehouse—which are constructed of brick. Those of the well-to-do merchants are quite modern in appearance. There are six picturesque, well built brick churches besides two old unused chapels Near the centre of the town is an old fortress, built by the conquering Cossacks 300 years ago. The inhabitants are for the greater part Yakuti, who, as a rule, prefer the yourta of their ancestors to the more comfortable and healthful Russian log house. Around each house is usually a large open space, resembling a barnyard, in which horses and cattle are kept and storehouses for merchandise are located. There are two schools supported by the government—one for boys and the other for girls—besides one maintained by the city, and a fourth one for orphans supported by private subscriptions. A hospital is also provided, and attached to it is a small house for the insane. The mails arrive from the south once a week, except during the spring break up and in the fall of the year when the Lena freezes. Thence the mail is sent once a month to Nerchoyansk and Kolymsk and once a year by way of Okotsk to Petropaulousky in Kamschatka.

The garrison consists of 200 soldiers, who are principally occupied in guarding the prison. The pay of the Russian soldier in Yakutsk is ninety copecks (about forty-five cents) per quarter. His ration money, three and a half cents a day, is turned into the company fund for purchasing provisions. For uniform he receives one coat, one pair of trousers and one pair of boots annually, and an overcoat every two years. He is permitted to do outside work, his earnings being divided so that he receives one-half, while one-quarter goes to the company fund and the other to the comrade who performs his military duties while he is absent.

The Cossacks, descendants of the conquerors of the Yakuti, about 200 in number, are variously employed as orderlies to the governor, police master and other officials; as escorts to the political exiles on their way north to Verchoyahsk, Kolymsk and other outlying settlements, and in carrying the mails where no regular posts are established. The Cossack's term of service is twenty-five years. They are usually industrious and well to do, as land is given them which they have the opportunity to cultivate while they are not on duty.

The lands in the vicinity and south of Yakutsk, especially the bottom lands of the large rivers, are very productive, yielding in the short summers sometimes as much as fifty bushels of wheat to the acre, and other cereals in proportion. Besides, the uncultivated lands, consisting largely of numberless islands in the Lena, in the immediate neighborhood of Yakutsk, yield a rich harvest of hay in the month of August. They are generally assigned to the Cossacks, and as their wealth depends upon the number of horses and cattle they own, this is a matter of considerable importance.

The Yakuti are beginning to cultivate the soil, but the principal and most industrious farmers in the district are the Scopci or eunuchs, members of a peculiar religious sect exiled from Russia. Of these there were in 1883 about 2,000 in the Yakutsk government. About six miles from Yakutsk there is a village built by the Scopci and called Morcha. Upon the inhabitants of this village, and upon exiles belonging to a sect known as "the old believers," who live near by, the Russian residents depend for the necessaries of life.

Both these classes of exiles are industrious, thrifty and scrupulously clean people, who have built themselves neat houses and mills driven by horse power. A large proportion of them are iron workers, etc., and as they are, as a class, honest people, employment is given to them in preference to all others in Yakutsh.

The Yakuti, who form the principal part of the populations, are called in their own language the tribe of the Sacha. Their complexion is a dark yellow, and in their diamond shaped eyes as well as their language, they give incontrovertible evidence of their Mongol descent. Their language belongs to the same family as that of the Turk and Tartar. In fact the Tartars, of which there are a great many living in Yakutsh, as exiles, very quickly learn to to speak the Yakuti tongue in consequence of this intimate relation of the languages. The Yakuti are engaged principally in raising horses and cattle but in villages and towns they are tradesmen, and as such are notoriously tricky, grasping and unreliable.

BY ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH.

EXCLUSIVE DISPATCHES TO THE COLONIST.

LAST NIGHT'S DISPATCHES.

Lord Randolph Churchill Coming to America.

GHASTLY FEATURE OF THE RECENT PROCESSION.

"To the Memory of the House of Lords, 1884."

GRATIFYING NEWS ABOUT GEN. GORDON.

ENGLAND.

LONDON, July 22. — Lord Randolph Churchill is considering the question of taking an American tour during the recess of parliament.

LONDON, July 22.—A tombstone was carried in the procession inscribed "To the memory of the House of Lords, 1884." The dense mass of spectators along the route interfered with the progress of the procession; it took four hours and a half to clear the embankment and the end of the procession had not left Parliament street when the head had entered the park. The president of the board of trade and other ministers viewed the procession. They were loudly cheered. Some bands in the procession played "Dead March in Saul." When the procession had arrived at the park speeches were made and resolutions previously prepared were submitted and adopted. There was a heavy rain towards the close of the meeting.

FRANCE.

PARIS, July 22.— Sixty-one deaths at Marseilles during the 24 hours ending at 9 o'clock to-night. The number of deaths in that city since the epidemic appeared is 874.

PARIS, July 22.—Deaths from cholera at Arles are averaging nine daily. The Archbishop of Aix visits the sufferers at their homes.

PARIS, July 22.—The announcement in Cri du Peuple that a royalist plot has been discovered is denied.

EASTERN STATES.

NEW YORK, July 22.—At the headquarters of the striking bricklayers and laborers to-night, it was stated that the fight was virtually over, and that nearly all the builders had given in to their demand. The builders' association, on the other hand, announce that only two firms had given in and these were compelled to in consequence of their contracts.

WASHINGTON, July 22.—An understanding between the postoffice department of the U. S. and the Canadian postoffice department has been reached whereby printed matter, lithographs and chromos sent by U. S. publishers as premiums to subscribers in Canada and which have heretofore been excluded from the mails for the Dominion because they are of a dutiable character may hereafter be admitted to such mails subject to such regulations, liabilities and duties as the customs laws of Canada may impose.

OMAHA, July 22.—Terrific wind and rain storm prevailed here last night and extended throughout the interior of the state. Reports from Merrick, Hall and other counties show much loss of property.

AUSTRIA.

VIENNA, July 22.—Petroleum miners at Drohobis to-day attacked Jewish inhabitants, smashed windows and forcibly entered the synagogue and destroyed the sacred vessels. During the melee several persons killed and wounded. The police shot two rioters and restored order.

RUSSIA.

BERLIN, July 22.—The Czar has decided to visit Warsaw August 13th, and picked troops will guard the railroad between St. Petersburg and Warsaw. All Russians in Warsaw unable to satisfy the officials concerning their identity and loyalty have been expelled.

EGYPT.

ASSUM, July 22.—A merchant reports he left Kordofan two months ago. While at Kordofan he was frequently in the presence of the Mahdi. The merchant ultimately escaped from there together with an Egyptian lieutenant of Hicks Pasha's army. Many of Hicks' army were in the hills. The Catholics in the Mahdi's power were safe. The rebels had surrounded Khartoum, but General Gordon dispersed them and killed their leader. The Mahdi's influence was declining almost daily. Letters were exchanged between Gordon and the Mahdi. The merchant adds that the Mudir and inhabitants of Dongola were loyal to the khedive and hostile to the Mahdi. He says that the artist Vizetelli, who was captured at Kordofan by El Mahdi, is safe.

CHINA.

Rumors that Foo Chow has been captured by Admiral Courbet are not confirmed.

SECOND DISPATCH.

HUTCHINGS PLEADS GUILTY.

The Canadian Chinese Commission Sitting at San Francisco.

FALSE EVIDENCE IN THE SHARON CASE.

Great Gold and Silver Strike in the "California" Mine.

ORE BODY 60 FEET LONG AND 25 WIDE.

The Cholera in France.

FRANCE.

PARIS, July 22, 7 p. m.—Fourteen deaths from cholera at Toulon to-day.

The government has revoked an order for military manœuvres in the south on account of cholera.

A case of cholera is announced at Lyons.

MARSEILLES, July 22.—During the interrogation of the anarchist rioters today the leader, a man named Benson, was seized with cholera. He was taken to the prison hospital.

AUSTRIA.

VIENNA, July 22.—Two cases of Asiatic cholera have occurred here.

SPAIN.

MADRID, July 22.—The government has strengthened the sanitary cordon in the Pyrrennes to prevent the introduction of cholera. Produce from Marseilles and Toulon will not be permitted to enter Gibraltar.

CALIFORNIA.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 22 — Frank Hutchings, the murderer of Nellie Hutchings, his mistress, pleaded guilty last night in the superior court to the charge of murder and was ordered to appear for sentence on Thursday, July 24.

A commission of enquiry appointed by the Canadian Government are now here investigating the subject of Chinese immigration. They will continue their labors here for two weeks and then proceed to Victoria, B. C., for the same purpose. This action has resulted from the introduction of a resolution into the Canadian parliament interdicting the further immigration of Chinese into British Columbia, the final action on which was deferred until the report of this commission.

In the Sharon divorce case this afternoon Geo. W. Tyler, consul for plaintiff, made a statement in the court room that he was now satisfied that the story of Trew and Well was false. The story referred to by Tyler was that the two witnesses named had testified that Sharon had introduced plaintiff to one of them as Mrs. Sharon while the other was present.

BODIE, Cal., July 22.—Great excitement prevails here over the discovery of an immense gold and silver ledge in the California Comstock mine, Patterson district, Montana county. The ore body is sixty feet long and 25 feet wide on the surface. The same ore body is found in the tunnel which laps the ledge 300 feet below.

William Dolace has been arrested charged with the murder of his two-year old son by neglecting to take proper care of him.

EASTERN STATES.

CHICAGO, July 22.—A chambermaid rapped in vain for admission to a room in the Palmer House this morning. When the door was opened the inmate was found dead in his bed. From letters and papers in his possession his name was found to be Henry Hayman of San Francisco, and the body was taken to the morgue. Death is supposed to be from natural causes as his health was apparently bad.

THIRD DISPATCH.

SALVATION ARMY MOBBED.

Terrible Gale in New Brunswick.

YELLOW FEVER AT PANAMA.

THE GREELEY SURVIVORS.

Hanlan and Beach to Row for £5,000 Aside.

SWITZERLAND.

GENEVA, July 22.—A mob attacked the Salvation army while at Berne and completely wrecked the building. The police were powerless, as the mob greatly outnumbered them.

CANADA.

ST. JOHN, N. B., July 22.—A terrible southeast gale raged all last night. It was accompanied by a heavy downpour of rain. It is reported a vessel was seen this morning bottom up in the bay of St. John.

CENTRAL AMERICA.

PANAMA, via Galveston, July 22.—The number of cases of yellow fever is increasing daily. Canal Chief Prient and two staff officers died from the disease last night. There are 176 cases of dysentry and the hospitals are crowded.

FRANCE.

MARSAILLES, 9:30 p.m., July 22.—Fifty-seven deaths from cholera in the past 24 hours.

PARIS, July 22.—The body of the well known financier Wolkman has been found in the Seine with a bullet through the head. Supposed case of suicide.

PARIS, July 22.—The application of Mme. Patti vs. Marquis De Coux for divorce will be the first case to be tried under the new divorce law.

NEWFOUNDLAND.

ST. JOHNS, Nfld., July 22.—Lieut. Greeley and commanders and officers of the relief expedition are guests at the vice regal residence of Sir John Howley Glover, governor of Newfoundland. The Bear and Thetis leave St. Johns Saturday Greeley and comrades are enjoying excellent health.

EGYPT.

CAIRO, July 22.—There is great alarm here owing to the knowledge that 150 armed deserters in female disguise are hidden in the town. Advices from Assuan state that a number of desertions have occurred in the Egyptian army and that rebels are massing fifteen miles from Assuan.

AUSTRALIA.

MELBOURNE, July 22. — Hanlan and Beach are matched to row at Parramata in August for £5,000 a side.

THE WEATHER.

WASHINGTON, July 22.—Pacific coast fair weather.

EASTERN STATES.

ALBANY, July 22.—Gov. Cleveland is daily engaged with routine business. He states he will spend the entire summer in Albany.

EXPRESS RATES.—A seasonable tariff of express rates over the routes covered by the B. C. Express Co. is published this morning.

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CITY OF VICTORIA.

LOT 1—Portion of Five-Acre Lot II, Victoria City, fronting 120 feet on the southern side of Chatham street, and extending thence at right angles 130 feet to the southern boundary of said five-acre lot, with the dwelling house thereon, now in the occupation of the Rev. Canon Dwyer.

LOT 2.—The Western Portion of Town Lot 187, Victoria City, situate on the northern side of Yates St., fronting 20 feet on the said street and extending thence at right angles northwardly 120 feet, with the Two-story Brick Building thereon, lately occupied by the U. S. Consul.

LOT 3.—Town Lot No. 337 Victoria City, fronting on Store and Constance streets, with the Building thereon.

LOT 4.—Subdivision No. 1 of Town Lot No. 123, Victoria City, fronting 60 feet on Pacific street and 25 feet on a street not named.

LOT 5.—Subdivision No. 2 of Town Lot No. 122, Victoria City (adjoining said portion of Lot 123) fronting 60 feet on Pacific street and 25 feet on a street not named.

LOT 6.—Subdivision No. 1 of Town Lot No. 124 Victoria City, fronting 23 feet on Store street.

LOT 7.—Subdivisions 3 and 4 of Town Lot No. 124 Victoria City, fronting 46 ft. 4 in. on Store street and 74 feet on a street not named.

VICTORIA DISTRICT.

LOT 8.—Portion of Section LXXXI, situated on the North side of the Burnside Road in Victoria District, having a frontage thereto of 300 feet and to the Harriet Road of 876 feet, and containing 6 2-10 acres.

SOOKE DISTRICT.

LOT 9.—Section LXVII Sooke District, fronting on Sooke Harbor and containing eight acres.

FORT HOPE.

LOT 10.—Lot 2, Blk. 5, in the Official Plan of Fort Hope in British Columbia.

NEW WESTMINSTER DIST.

LOT 11.—Lot 70, Group 1, New Westminster District, situate near the New Westminster and Burrard Inlet Road, about two miles from the water frontage at Burrard Inlet.

MAPLEHURST.

LOT 12.—"Maplehurst," situated at the corner of Blanchard Avenue and Pembroke street, and grounds comprising 1 34-100 acres.

LOT 13.—Portion of Suburban Lot 1 adjoining, having a frontage to Pembroke street and containing 1 69-100 acres.

Particulars and conditions of sale, with diagrams, may be had gratis of Mr. Edwin Johnson, of Bastion street, Victoria, Solicitor of the Auctioneer, and at the place of sale, on and after the first of July next.

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The Premier's Daughter on Princess Alice's Scepticism.

Miss Gladstone, daughter of the Prime Minister, refers, in an article in the *Contemporary Review*, to the departure of the Princess Alice from the faith of her youth:—It was in 1866 that Princess Alice, at her own desire, became acquainted with the famous David Fredrick Strauss. He lived at Darmstadt for four years, during which period he had frequent intercourse with the Princess, and read to her his letters on Voltaire. Much as it may be regretted that the influence of Strauss should have been brought to bear upon her, no one can help admiring the courage with which she faced the difficulties to which his teaching gave rise; especially when one considers with what reluctance and even distress she must have allowed his opinions to influence her mind. In sharp conflict as they were with the most sacred traditions of her youth, she yet did not shrink from accepting the dedication of his work on Voltaire. No doubt there is a non-believing attitude which is easier to take up in every day life than the believing one. It is far less trouble, it is more flattering to one's power of discernment, not to believe a thing than to believe it. When Stephenson first prophesied before a committee of the House of Commons the rate at which steam should conquer time and space, the men who laughed him to scorn probably felt much cleverer than those who believed him. It was in no such spirit that Princess Alice listened to Strauss—"she had to wrestle heart and soul with theoretical doubts;" and it was not till the spring of 1873 that light came back to her through darkness. She had just returned from her Italian trip, into which she had thrown herself with true enjoyment, and was still resting after the fatigue of the long journey. The two little princes had been playing by her sofa; Prince Ernest ran into the next room followed by the Princess, and in her brief absence Prince Fritz fell out of the window upon the stone pavement below. One moment in the most vivid radiant life and health, the next he lay senseless and crushed. He died a few hours later in his mother's arms. In her agony she sounded, as it were for the first time, the depths of scepticism. She searched in vain through the various systems of philosophy, but found no foothold. She did not speak of the transformation that was going on within; but slowly; silently and surely faith returned to her, never again to falter. "The whole edifice of philosophical conclusions which I had built up for myself, I find to have no foundation whatever—nothing of it if left—it has crumbled away like dust. What should we be, what would become of us, we had no faith—if we did not believe that there is a God who rules the world and each single one of us."

The Franchise Bill.

LONDON, July 13.—The conflict between the house of lords and the country, which became inevitable when the lords practically rejected on Tuesday the franchise bill, has since developed with unexampled rapidity and in most formidable proportion. Mr. Gladstone, who from the beginning sincerely desired

TO DIAERT A COLLISION

between the two Houses, marked his sense of the extreme gravity of the crisis by summoning his supporters to a meeting on Tuesday, and addressed to them a speech which he would naturally have made in the House of Commons, meaning thus to avoid every possible cause for irritation, and aware that his words would reach the country just as effectively. He announced that he would abandon every great measure pending in order to direct the entire attention of the country to the momentous issue now raised, and hold an autumn session at the end of October for the sole purpose of again sending the Franchise bill to the House of Lords. He denied absolutely the right of the House of Lords

TO FORCE THE MINISTRY

with the majority of the House of Commons either to resign or dissolve, and startled everybody by announcing that he had offered the Lords a compromise, meeting the objection on which the hostile vote was based by a proposal of a joint address by both Houses to the Crown embodying a solemn pledge to devote the next session to redistribution. This disclosure angered the Marquis of Salisbury and other leading Conservatives in both Houses. There was last

A FURIOUS DEBATE.

in both Houses, the Marquis of Salisbury accusing Mr. Gladstone of fabricating expressions he had never uttered. In the Commons Lord Randolph Churchill bluntly charged Mr. Gladstone with deliberately traducting his opponents and Mr. Gladstone refused to notice what he described as "foul language." Outside the Houses of Parliament the country is aflame. The question of the continued existance of the legislative authorty of the House of Lords is thus raised in its acutest form. Mr. Gladstone's extreme moderation both in addressing his supporters and afterwards in the House of Commons misled nobody. His friends know that he is resolved to carry on the struggle to the bitter end, if compelled. Meetings all over the country are already arranged for.

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TO THE PUBLIC.

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A. ONDERDONK.

June 23rd, 1884. je24

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By Command.

JNO. ROBSON,
jy5 1w Provincial Secretary.

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W. A. JOHNSON, Secty.

Quesnelle, B.C., 21st June, 1884. jy9dw

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J. M. SPARROW,
Victoria, B.C., 10th July, 1884. Chief Inspector. jy11

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORDANCE with the Statutes, that Provincial Revenue Tax and all Taxes levied under the Assessment Acts are now due for the year 1884, and payable at my office, at the Treasury, James Bay, Victoria; And if paid on or before June 30th, 1884, are assed Taxes eligible at the following rates, viz:

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5 cents per acre on Wild Land.
One fifth of 1 per cent on Personal Property.
½ of 1 per cent. on Income.

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R. JONES,
Assessor and Collector

June 4th, 1884.

Land Registry Office, 1870.

Esquimalt Suburban Lots Nos. XXXIII, XLIX and LI.

WHEREAS THE CERTIFICATES OF TITLE of W. L. Dall to an undivided ¼ of Suburban Lot XLIX and an undivided ¼ of Lot 1 of suburban Lot LI Esquimalt, bearing date the 20th day of April, 1863, and to an undivided ¼ of Suburban Lot XXXIII, Esquimalt, bearing date the 14th day of May, 1863, respectively, have been lost, and application has been made for duplicates of such certificates. Notice is therefore hereby given that such duplicates will be issued unless cause be shown to the contrary in writing within one month from the date hereof.

CHAS. JAS. LEGGATT,
Act'g Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office,
Victoria, B C., 5th July, 1884. jy6 1m

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE LAND Registry Office of the District of New Westminster will be temporarily located at the Land Registry Office, Victoria, until the copying of the Records, &c., is completed. Applications for registration and other business may in the meantime be made to me direct or through the Government Agent at New Westminster.

R. W. ARMSTRONG,
Land Registry Office, Deputy-Registrar.
New Westminster District,
2nd July, 1884. jy5 1w

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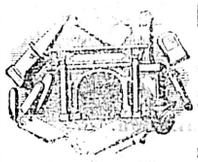

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WM. SMITHE,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

Lands and Works Dept.,
Victoria, B.C., May 23rd, 1884. my30 1w

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